

MARSHALL WILL RUN FOR CONGRESS

MAKES PLEA FOR MOONEY

STATE FARM CREDIT CONFERENCE IS CALLED BY AGRICULTURE DIRECTOR

WILL START BATTLE TO FORCE CONGRESS TO CONSIDER FARMS

Hyde, Fess, Bulkley Invited To Speak At Meeting

COLUMBUS, Dec. 1.—As the first move by the state of Ohio in a battle to compel congress to give immediate attention to farm difficulties, a state-wide farm credit conference was called today by Director of Agriculture I. S. Guthery.

U. S. Secretary of Agriculture Arthur M. Hyde is expected to address the meeting, which will be held here on "agricultural day" on Thursday, Jan. 14, 1932, as a part of the annual Ohio farm conference.

The director's frank purpose in arranging for the credit conference is to formulate a plan which congress can be shown the necessity of adopting farm relief measures which will re-establish farm credit not only in Ohio but throughout the country.

Thousands of persons interested in the welfare of the Ohio farmer are expected to be attracted to Columbus for the meeting, Guthery told International News Service.

Giving the meeting an official air, every township official and every county official in the state is to be invited to take part in the discussion.

Invitations also have been sent to U. S. Senators Simeon D. Fess (R) of Yellow Springs, and Robert J. Bulkley (D) of Cleveland.

Various farm organizations and county agricultural societies will be represented and be given an opportunity to present any solutions they may have.

In calling the conference, Guthery made the following announcement concerning the necessity of such a study:

"The high spot in the mind of farm folks at this time is farm credits. Many farmers in this state cannot get the credit either on land or on chattels to meet debts due."

"They cannot purchase better cattle, or other livestock, or meet obligations caused by short prices on farm crops and livestock. This farm credit matter is of nationwide interest."

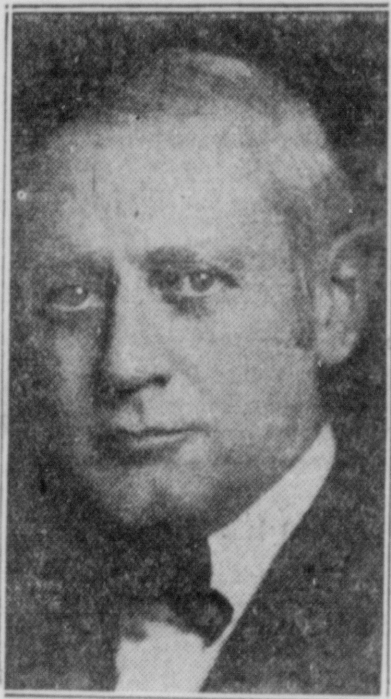
"I feel that this topic is of such paramount importance at this time that an extensive effort is being made to have the agricultural interests of the state well represented at the meeting."

What his personal opinions or suggestions may be on re-establishing farm credit were not revealed by Guthery. He indicated, however, that he may have a plan to give at the conference.

CHANGE PLACES



L. T. MARSHALL



CHARLES BRAND

MURDER, SUICIDE, ACCIDENT, CLAIM LIVES OF CHILDREN

Boy Slays Girl And Self; Third Killed Reenacting Case

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Within the space of a few hours a shooting tragedy, and its playful reenactment today left in their wake two school girls and one boy dead while another youth was in the custody of police.

One of the girls, Ruth Wicklund, 12, died at the hands of her adolescent sweetheart, Henry Sio, 16, who shot in a jealous rage and then ended his own life with a bullet through the brain.

The second girl, Constance Trohats, 15, was the victim of a boyish reproduction of the other shooting, staged by Joseph Wilson, 16, who did not know that his gun was loaded. From accounts he had read in the newspapers, Joseph was showing Constance how Ruth Wicklund had been shot. He pointed his revolver at the girl and pulled the trigger four times. The fourth discharge of the weapon was not that of a wooden shell as he had thought, but that of a real bullet. It entered the girl's brain, killing her instantly.

The deaths of Ruth Wicklund and Henry Sio were set down as murder and suicide by a coroner's jury following an inquest. Witnesses said Henry had met Ruth while the girl was on her way to school. The boy voiced objections to the girl's attention to other youths and suddenly whipped out a revolver and shot her twice as she begged for mercy. Then Henry rushed home and took his own life.

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REPUBLICAN HOUSE LEADER IS UNDECIDED

Face Party Battle If Snell Defeated For Speaker

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Republicans of the house today faced another party battle with both Reps. Bertrand H. Snell of New York and John Q. Tilson of Connecticut claiming the party leadership in the event the Democrats organize the house.

The Republicans will go into battle with the Democrats when the house meets next Monday with Snell as their candidate for speaker and Tilson's the party's choice for majority floor leader.

But if Snell is defeated and the Democrats take control as expected the Republicans will hold another conference to decide whether Snell or Tilson shall be minority leader.

Facing the danger of a wide-open split on this question, the Republican conference adjourned after a two-hour wrangle late yesterday.

The nomination of Snell for speaker in the face of Tilson's claim to the honor because he has been majority leader, was brought about by a representative vote from both the east and west.

Many Republicans saw in the action a direct thrust at the White House, since Tilson has been the foremost supporter of President Hoover's administration on the floor.

Although an organization Republican, Snell bolted the President on the soldiers' bonus loan bill last year, the veterans disability allowance bill the year before, and he is known to have opposed other White House proposals.

Snell startled Republican circles several months ago by declaring the protective tariff probably is on too high a level. He also engaged in a dispute with the administration over attempts to give control of New York patronage to close allies of Mr. Hoover.

The New Yorker attracted some western strength because he hails from a dairymen district in New York and has supported much of the farm relief legislation. He is a dry.

Declaring that he expected to be party leader if the Democrats organize Snell said:

"It would be surprising if a man were elected party leader one week and it was taken away from him the next."

Tilson said:

"I was elected floor leader last spring and it stands until affirmative action is taken to remove me."

Rep. Campbell of Pennsylvania, a strong supporter of Tilson, declared the Republicans faced a serious split if the Snell advocates attempted to unhorse Tilson from the minority leadership.

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MAYOR EXPECTED TO MAKE HIS GREATEST ORATION IN APPEAL

Advisory Board To Help Governor; Parole Refused

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—A legal drama, almost without precedent in American jurisprudence, will be staged here today.

Mayor James J. Walker of New York City, one of the outstanding personalities of the country, will climax his spectacular trip across the continent with a plea before the governor of California for a pardon for Tom Mooney, a life term convict whose name has been publicized throughout the world.

Walker, a gifted and magnetic speaker, is expected to make one of the greatest orations of his career. He will talk extemporaneously, not as an attorney and private citizen. He will be assisted by two famous lawyers, Frank P. Walsh, senior counsel for Mooney, and Aaron Sapiro, long identified with the Mooney cause.

The spotlight of national attention will be focused on the hearing, which will be open to the press and the public.

Special police to the number of three hundred have been assigned to guard the state building and the state supreme court room where the proceedings will be held.

Communist demonstrations are anticipated. Labor groups have obtained a permit to stage "a Mooney parade."

Mooney himself has complicated the situation by making public a declaration that under no circumstances would he accept a parole, even though one were offered to him.

His statement, in the form of a letter addressed to Mayor Walker, was issued by Tom Mooney's molders' defense committee, an organization which for years has been working independently of the attorneys seeking to obtain Mooney's release.

Mooney, who is serving a life term on conviction for his alleged participation in the Preparedness Day bombing in San Francisco in 1916, said that the acceptance of a parole would be an admission, by implication, of his guilt in the bombing outrage.

Governor James Rolph, Jr., who will preside at today's hearing said he will hear the case "with an open mind." The governor will be assisted by an advisory board consisting of Judge Matt I. Sullivan and Attorneys Theodore J. Roche and John L. McNab, although there is a possibility that McNab will not be present.

Attorney General U. S. Webb and Daniel J. O'Brien, director of the state department of penology, will also occupy places near the governor during the hearing.

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FRENZIED REFORMER HELD FOR SHOOTING BOY



Harassed by the accusation of having shot a 17-year-old boy in a frenzy of drunkenness, Daniel Gilday, 65-year-old president of the Englewood, Ill., Law and Order League, has been held by Chicago police as state authorities seek an indictment against him for assault with intent to kill. Police say Gilday, intoxicated, shot Herman Knol in the stomach when the boy sought to help him home. Gilday stated he thought he was being held up, but admitted being drunk, police say. Gilday, for years an active civic reform leader, is shown at right, following his arrest; left is young Knol, in a serious condition, with A. E. Paul, superintendent of hospital looking on.



TORTURE BURGLARY SUSPECTS ALL HAVE CRIMINAL RECORDS

Recover Part Of Loot; Morrow Released Under Bond

Six men accused of looting the country home of Charles Monnet, south of Yellow Springs, of goods valued at \$619 November 20, who were held to the grand jury under bonds of \$2,000 each Monday on charges of robbing an inhabited dwelling in the night season, all have past court records, questioning of the suspects has revealed.

One member of the group under arrest was able to furnish bond and was released Monday afternoon. Ralph Morrow, 35, owner of the Osborn Hotel, was discharged from custody on bond signed by his wife, Mrs. Lena Morrow, and his father, A. C. Morrow, a farmer residing in Jefferson Twp.

Morrow, former proprietor of a restaurant in Xenia, admitted previous arrests in Xenia and Dayton for liquor law violations, and at Wapakoneta, O., on a housebreaking charge.

The other five men, still confined in jail because of inability to post \$2,000 bonds, are Arthur B. Malotte, 37, owner of an Osborn restaurant; Samuel Johnson, 29, R. R. No. 9, Dayton, toolmaker; Lewis Liming, 38, near Osborn; Clayton Grissom, 21, Osborn; and Waldo Baker, 43, Arcanum, O., trucker.

Grissom, who was fined \$500 and costs by Municipal Judge E. Dawson Smith Monday on a liquor charge to which he pleaded guilty after his arrest following a Thanksgiving Day raid made by Deputy Sheriffs Walton Spahr and L. A. Davis on his room at the Osborn Hotel, also confessed to a previous arrest in Xenia a year and a half ago for contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

It became known Tuesday that Lewis Liming, one of the accused men, is a brother-in-law of Charles Monnet, whose home was robbed, and that his past record includes arrests on liquor charges at Springfield in 1922 and 1924 and by the sheriff of Greene County in 1929.

Arthur Malotte, proprietor of an Osborn confectionery and lodging house, who has been operating a filling station on the same lot, admitted he was arrested and fined \$342 at Bedford, Ind. in 1930 for possessing liquor.

Malotte was sued for alimony (Continued on Page Three)

CLAIMS ALL - INDIA FEDERATION IS ONLY HOPEFUL SOLUTION

MacDonald Outlines Policy In Address At Final Session

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald today announced the British government's policy toward India, reaffirming in an address before the final session of the Indian round table conference the belief that an all-India federation offered the "only hopeful solution of India's constitutional problems."

In the absence of an agreement on governmental structure by the present conference, MacDonald recommended that responsibility for Indian government should be placed in general provincial legislatures.

"The government intends to pursue unwaveringly," the prime minister declared "this plan (of all-India federation), and will do its utmost to surmount the difficulties now standing in the way of its realization."

"If you cannot present us with a settlement among yourselves, the government will be compelled to apply a provisional scheme."

The conference came to a close today without drafting a constitution for future government of India.

"India and England have come to the parting of the ways," was Mahatma M. K. Gandhi's verdict on the protracted negotiations.

PLUNGES TO DEATH FROM HOTEL WINDOW

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—William C. Prendergast, 55, steel executive, plunged to his death from a fourth-story window in a Fifth Ave. hotel today when he lost his balance while trying to fix a radio aerial.

His wife, Mrs. Anna Couch Prendergast, was too far away from him in the room to catch him as he fell. Horror-stricken, she rushed to the window a moment too late to save him.

Prendergast until recently was an official of the Republic Iron and Steel Co. He retired when the concern merged with the Central Alloy Steel Corporation of Ohio.

KID CHOCOLATE IS FACING CHARGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—All Kid Chocolate's luck comes in the ring. The Cuban pugilist went to the federal detention office today a few hours after he had knocked out Maxie Leiner, New York junior lightweight. The "keed" was taken into custody on complaint of a girl in Havana. She accused the boxer of breaking a promise to marry her and deportation was asked on "charges of abduction."

Chocolate's manager said he hoped the boxer would be permitted to remain here until December 11 when he is scheduled to fight Al Singer of New York in a fifteen-round bout.

INGALLS WILL SPEAK
COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 1.—Opening a series of campaign speeches over Ohio, David S. Ingalls, assistant secretary of the navy and aeronautics and candidate for the Republican gubernatorial nomination was to fly to Coshocton today.

OHIO BANKING SITUATION IS SHOWING GAIN

Optimism Is Evident As Conditions Are Improving

EDITOR'S NOTE: Following is the fourth of a series of articles by International News Service analyzing business trends in the various Ohio industries.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 1.—For the first time in months, the Ohio banking situation is looking up.

A survey by International News Service disclosed today that banking officials are conclusively convinced that banking and financial conditions are rapidly improving.

Optimism is especially evident among leaders of the Ohio Bankers Association, an organization whose functions require it to follow all developments closely without inflating them or depreciating their significance.

Outstanding in commercial and industrial changes which will affect Ohio financial institutions, it was said, is the scheduled release of millions of dollars for holiday purchases through Christmas Savings Clubs.

The beginning of work in setting up the National Credit Corporation in this state, along with a better tone in rural sections because of increased grain prices, were other factors cited for a hope of better times among bankers.

In addition, the sudden falling off in Ohio Bank failures has cheered bankers in all sections.

Although banking department officials have not been willing to allow the use of their names, they admit that bank collapses are becoming rarer each week.

The increased value of farm crops has resulted in a marked improvement over last year in rural sections, bankers and business men believe, with a resultant favorable effect on the positions of banks in rural counties.

The forward push of business accompanying the holiday season will not go unnoticed in the working of the state financial institutions, and the impetus of Christmas buying might easily be the impetus needed to start the public into a program of formal buying, one banker told International News Service.

Christmas buying, it is hoped, will end hoarding, which has been one of the aggravating causes of the present slump, and start the state upward again, it was predicted.

LADY HEATH SUED BY FIRST HUSBAND

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Sir James Heath today filed suit for divorce from his aviatrix-wife, Lady Mary Heath, on the ground that the divorcee she obtained recently in Reno is invalid.

Reginald Williams, whom Lady Heath married in Lexington, Ky., in November, was cited by Sir James as the co-respondent. It was understood the suit would not be defended here.

"I want my freedom and the sooner the better," Sir James said, "but I will have to obtain it from the English courts."

BRAND WILL RETIRE FROM POST; XENIAN FAVORED FOR PLACE

Springfield Banker To Be Opponent; Primary In May

Eight words today had changed the political situation in the seventh Ohio district making former State Senator L. T. Marshall, of Xenia, the favorite candidate in the race for congress. The eight words, told to a Gazette representative by Congressman Charles Brand of Urbana, were:

"I will not be a candidate for congress."

Congressman Brand's announcement came Monday after Edward E. Greiner, Springfield manufacturer and banker, had announced that he would be a candidate for the Republican nomination at the primary election May 10, 1932.

Asked concerning his decision which came as a surprise to many throughout the district Congressman Brand said:

"In fairness to all concerned I wish to announce that I will not be a candidate for election to congress to succeed myself next spring. I also wish to express deep appreciation of the confidence I have received from the people of the district as a whole."

While no reason was assigned by Mr. Brand for his withdrawal at this time, political dopesters in Springfield and in the southern counties of the district pointed out that his leaving the race would probably benefit former Senator Marshall, who had previously announced he was in the race to stay.

Greiner's entrance at first was not taken seriously, but after various Springfield factional leaders had declared that he was in the race to fight it out until May 10, they said this would be in Mr. Marshall's favor because of the rural vote preponderance in the seventh district. Of the nine counties composing the district only one, Clark County, in which Springfield is situated has anything of an urban electorate. The other eight, Union, Logan, Champaign, Greene, Madison, Warren, Fayette and Clinton all return heavy rural votes year after year.

Other than that he is in the race to stay and means to make an intensive campaign of the entire district Mr. Marshall had little to say Tuesday regarding his candidacy. His opponent, Mr. Greiner, is almost unknown to the Xenia candidate and is also almost unknown elsewhere in the district.

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DRY CRUSADER MAY FACE DEATH CHARGE

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—By the slender thread of a fast-fading life today hung the question of whether or not Daniel L. Gilday, elderly church deacon and dry crusader, must go through the ordeal of a trial for murder.

While the 65-year-old reformer sat in the Englewood jail cell, the state moved to bring him to justice for the shooting of Herman Knol, the 17-year-old boy Scout who says he was trying to help Gilday when a bullet from the latter's gun entered his abdomen.

Upon the outcome of young Knol's battle for life rests the question of whether Gilday will face trial for murder or whether he will be charged with assault with intent to kill.

WILL EXTEND CORN BORER QUARANTINE

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 1.—The corn borer quarantine line is about to be extended southward to the Ohio River, it was learned here today.

Earle G. Brewer of Springfield, federal corn borer control official, has called a state-wide meeting for Tuesday, December 22, when the suggestion will be made.

By such action Butler, Hamilton, Clermont, Brown, Scioto, Lawrence and the lower half of Adams Counties will be added to the quarantine territory.

20 Shopping Days 'til Christmas

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

BUY SEALS

SOY THE 10 O'CLOCK SCHOLAR

MINER FOUND DEAD FROM FIRE FUMES

MARTINS FERRY, O., Dec. 1.—A mine rescue party, after extinguishing a fire in Piney Fork Mine No. 2, said today that it had found the body of Dominick Farraria, 63, who apparently was overcome by the fumes.

Searchers said the body was found two miles from the fire section. Farraria probably entered the mine through an opening far from the main entrance, unaware of the fire, they said.

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Janet Gaynor, pretty and diminutive screen star, accorded New York a welcoming wave as she arrived by train from California. From the balmy climate she is accustomed to in Hollywood, petite Janet stepped into New York's first snowstorm served up by King Winter.

EXPECT MANY WILL ATTEND FOODY POST OPEN MEETING HERE

"Open House" will be observed by Jos. P. Foody Post of the American Legion Tuesday night with all ex-servicemen of Greene County invited to attend and enjoy the program that has been arranged for their benefit.

Commander Paul Halder has announced that important business is to be transacted at the business session with several new items to be added to the program of work for the year.

Immediately following the business session there will be two three-round boxing bouts by members of the Legion sponsored Boy Scout troop of which William Rickles is the head. Leonard Trunell, scoutmaster, will be present and is expected to give a short talk on scouting and the way his organization builds boys of today into the worth while citizens of tomorrow.

Mrs. Guy-Harold Smith, Christmas seal nurse stationed in Greene County is to give a ten minute talk on the work being done for tubercular persons with special reference to the cooperation furnished ex-servicemen's organizations. Music also is to be a feature.

It is expected that more than 250 ex-servicemen will be on hand when the meeting is called to order at 7:30 p. m. in the post headquarters at the Court House.

U. S. ARMY PLACED ON DEFINITE PAY-AS-YOU-GO SYSTEM

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. — The United States Army has been placed definitely upon a pay-as-you-go policy, Major General R. L. Carmichael, Chief of Finance, said today in his annual report to the Secretary of War.

General Carmichael said that of more than 700,000 invoices presented for payment during the year ending June 30, only 145 bills more than thirty days old remained unpaid at the close of the fiscal year.

The record for collections of sums due the army was not so bright. The report said there was still due the United States on contracts covering sales of surplus war supplies, surplus lands and buildings, the sum of \$4,147,971.41.

In addition to paying bills and auditing accounts the Finance Department of the army prepared an entirely new set of official mileage tables upon which settlement of travel allowances to Army personnel is based. Provision has been made, the report said, by which official distances and routings will be furnished on request to any other department of the government.

STRESS EDUCATION FEATURE OF CLINIC

According to local health authorities one of the most important objects of the diagnostic chest clinic at the Court House Thursday will be to create in the infected individual and his family the proper attitude towards tuberculosis.

One-sixth of the deaths from all diseases, between the ages of 15 and 50, are from tuberculosis and nine out of ten people have tuberculosis at some time in their life health authorities point out. "Carefully obey your physician's instructions; you may improve steadily for months and lose all you have gained by one act of carelessness," a local health authority says.

The clinic Thursday is under the auspices of the Greene County Public Health League assisted by the state department of health and it is expected that approximately thirty cases will be examined. Money to carry on these clinics is obtained through the sale of Christmas Health Seals in the county.

FARMER IS KILLED
NAPOLÉON, O., Dec. 1.—Hurled in the path of his tractor when it went out of control and rolled madly down a hill, William Precht, 56, Henry County farmer, was crushed to death today. Precht was using the tractor to pull a load of sugar beets when he lost control of the machine.

CHAPLAIN JAILED



Field at Cleveland in connection with the alleged cashing of four worthless checks in Toronto, Alfred Hall, self-appointed chaplain of Cuyahoga County, Ohio, jail, also faces deportation on a warrant from Washington, charging violation of the immigration laws. The "clergyman" claims he is a United States citizen.

Yuma New Gretna Green for Hollywood

Movie Stars Flock to Arizona Border City to Wed Without Necessity of Filing Intention and Waiting Three Days as Law Requires in California. Gloria and Aimee Among Patrons



Mr. and Mrs. DAVID HUTTON. Rapidly acquiring the romantic title of a modern Gretna Green, Yuma, Arizona, bears little or no resemblance to the marriage mart made famous in the days of the grimy smithy who divided his time between hammering out gear for horses and words binding couples in the nuptial state. In Yuma, it is Judge Earl A. Freeman who presides at the stately courthouse and dispenses more scrolled and emblazoned marriage certificates than ye olde time smithy spoke words of the marriage vows. This new Gretna Green of the Southwest has drawn most of its rushing business from California and from the capital of movie-dom in particular. Many film stars, lured by the California law which provides a couple considering matrimony must wait three days before consummating their desires, have taken wing to Yuma and there had the proverbial knot tied in double-quick time. Among the well-known patrons of Yuma have been Aimee Semple McPherson-Hutton and her choir-singer husband, David, and Gloria Swanson and her latest, Michael Farmer. Irish millionaire.

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 1.—If you are one of those people who have cherished the illusion that marriages are made in heaven the frequency with which Yuma, Arizona, has appeared in the public eye as the port of departure for the matrimonial barque must have seemed, to say the least, contradictory to your belief.

During the last two or three years Yuma has come to be recognized as a modern edition of the celebrated Gretna Green, where, with convenience and dispatch, the tired business man may hitch his wagon to a star of the Hollywood constellation.

But whereas the original Gretna Green consisted of a smithy, ruled over by a sneaky giant, who hammered out horse shoes when he wasn't applying the balm of matrimony to the wounds inflicted by the darts of Cupid, its modern prototype at Yuma is everything that the most fastidious pair of lovers could desire.

Here, the man who joins a couple that no man may put asunder (with the possible exception of a Reno judge) does not have to wipe the soot and grime of toil from his hands upon a leathern apron lest he soil the holy book from which the "wilt thou" and "I wills" are read. Judge Earl A. Freeman, who presides at Yuma County Court-house, has none of the romantic glamor with which tradition clothed the blacksmith of Gretna, but he has married more movie stars and other celebrities in the past few years than the romantic anvil-walloper did in his whole lifetime.

The reason for Yuma's growing popularity as a runway for endurance flights into the realms of matrimony is not hard to understand. In this age when the world worships at the shrine of Speed the place that can supply a commodity on instant demand without waiting, gets the business. And Yuma, Ariz., can do just that.

While California law demands that notice of intention to wed be filed at least three days before the actual ceremony, Arizona's only requirement is that one take out a license. If decided the marriage ceremony can be performed before the ink on the document is dry.

As Yuma is but a short hop by air from Los Angeles and Hollywood, one can readily see what a boon it is to movie stars whose artistic temperaments demand service without waiting. In fact, if many of them were compelled to abide by the California law and wait for the three days, they would probably have forgotten the name of the man they were to marry before the time for the ceremony.

Among those to take advantage of convenient Yuma was Aimee Semple McPherson, the evangelistic oracle of Angelus Temple, who married her choir baritone, David Hutton. Aimee added an extra touch of color to her matrimonial

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comes out one of the crew, was Gloria Swanson. Gloria was married to Michael Farmer, wealthy Irish sportsman, at Elsford, N. J., soon after her return from Europe, but as there was some doubt about the finality of her divorce from Henri, Marquis de la Falaise, she decided to have an encore at Yuma—just to make it unambiguous.

CHURCH PLANNING SPECIAL SERVICES

Special evangelistic services will be held at Trinity M. E. Church January 3 to 17, it was announced Tuesday by the pastor, the Rev. E. A. Rager. These services will include the Week of Prayer.

Dr. B. F. George, Wilmington, district M. E. superintendent, will open the services Sunday evening, January 3, and the Rev. C. A. Hutchison, pastor of the M. E. Church, Cedarville, will be special evangelist during the two weeks with services every evening except Saturday. Special evangelistic singing will be under the direction of the Rev. Mr. Rager, who has received special training for this work under Prof. Harper Garcia Smythe, Cleveland. A children's chorus choir will be organized to assist in the singing.

Six cottage prayer meetings are now being held weekly in the interest of the forthcoming meeting. The Rev. Mr. Rager is now filling a two weeks' engagement at Cedarville preaching at special evangelistic services there. More than 200 people attended this service Sunday evening.

WILLYS - AQUIRRE ROMANCE ON ROCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The marriage of Miss Virginia Willys to Luis Mercedino de Aquirre, a romantic sensation two years ago, has gone on the rocks, her father, John N. Willys, ambassador to Poland, admitted today.

The automobile manufacturer's daughter is in Paris with her mother now, instituting action for a divorce, he said. The couple was married in London, having met aboard ship between New York and Europe.

Mr. Willys was known not to have looked with favor on the marriage when it took place. De Aquirre is the son of an Argentine cattleman. His first marriage, to Amalia Obarro, ended in divorce.

"It is true I was not very keen about her marriage," the ambassador said. "I didn't think it would last. But she was determined. It was the only thing she ever refused me. Now it's just as well."

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HONORED AT FAREWELL DINNER MONDAY EVENING.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Conklin and family who are moving soon to Urbana where Mr. Conklin has accepted a position as manager of the Champaign County Livestock Association were honored at a dinner party at Trinity M. E. Church Monday evening. Seventy guests including members of the Men's Bible Class and their wives and members of the Berean Class and their husbands attended the affair.

A covered dish dinner was served at tables in the Sunday School room. The tables were attractively decorated in the Christmas colors of red and green with red tapers in crystal candlesticks adding a pleasing note to the decorations.

Mr. A. G. Spahr, superintendent of the Sunday School, spoke a few words of appreciation of the influence of the Conklin family in the church and for their services. Mr. Conklin was formerly superintendent of the Sunday School. Mrs. Helen Smith Spahr also spoke and in closing presented Mr. and Mrs. Conklin a small table as a gift from the two classes.

HONORED HERE ON WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Oris Harness, W. Market St., were honored by a group of relatives and friends at their home Saturday evening, the occasion being their wedding anniversary and altered dish supper. A covered dish supper was served and later the guests enjoyed games and contests and music by Mrs. Alice Hogue, Bowersville, pianist and Mr. Russell Rudick, Dayton, violinist.

Those present were Mrs. Mason Clark, Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Clark and sons, Leo, Theodor and Kenneth, Messers, Russell Rudick and Elmer Clark, Dayton; Mr. and Mrs. Wendell and Max and Mr. Howard Clark, Jamestown; Mrs. Rosa Rudick, Mr. Carroll Rudick, Mrs. Agnes Hogue and son Walter, of Bowersville; Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Ellis and son, Charles, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Garber and daughter, Marjorie, Miss Veda Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Harness and family, this city.

QUESTS HONORED AT "500" PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Sandusky, who are visiting here, were guests of honor at a delightful party entertained by Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smith, Hill St., Saturday evening. Four tables of "500" were in play and high score prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Brome, Dayton. Mr. Charles Poland, Dayton and Mr. Alfred McKnight, Dayton, were awarded the consolation trophies. A refreshment course was served after the games.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith's guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Sandusky; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Toll, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Poland, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Brome and Dr. George Murray, Dayton; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lightbiser and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, this city.

DAUGHTER OF FORMER XENIAN IS MARRIED

Miss Sarah Hebble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hebble, Terrace Park, Cincinnati, formerly of this city, was united in marriage to Mr. James Conklin, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., in an impressive ceremony performed at St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Terrace Park, Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Following the wedding a reception for seventy-five relatives and friends was held at the Hebble home. Mr. and Mrs. Conklin will reside in Poughkeepsie where Mr. Conklin is employed by a road construction company.

Among Xenians who were guests at the wedding and reception were Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Zell, Miss Sarah Hagar and Miss Edith Fawcett. The Hebble family resided here a number of years ago on N. Gallo-way St.

XENIANS TO ASSIST ON ARTIST'S PROGRAM.

When Madam Eleanor Buckley, lyric soprano, appears at the First M. E. Church Tuesday evening, December 8, under the auspices of the choir of that church, she will be assisted by a group of local musicians. Miss Theda Downing, well-known Xenian pianist, will be Miss Buckley's accompanist.

An ensemble composed of Miss Marjorie Street, pianist; Mrs. Louis Hamerle and Mr. Marcus Shoup, violinists and Miss Lois Street, cellist, will play during the program.

Tickets for the concert may be obtained from members of the choir or from Mrs. J. C. Dadds, Mrs. Bayless Thompson or Mrs. J. E. Daly.

Mr. Robert Mark Candill, of the S. S. President Fillmore, of the Dollar Steamship Lines, San Francisco, is spending two weeks of the holiday season with his grand-mother, Mrs. Anna Candill, 623 W. Second St.

Dr. J. R. McCormick, N. King St., is attending the convention of the Ohio State Dental Association in Cincinnati this week. He was accompanied to Cincinnati by Mrs. McCormick and Miss Nellie Ankney, who will visit their sister, Mrs. Charles Arnold.

Members of Gladys Community Club will hold an oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Manor, Alpha Road, Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock. Each family is asked to bring milk and bowls and to come dressed in everyday attire or they will be assessed a small fine.

Mr. Otto Hornick, E. Third St., attended a district meeting and banquet for agents of the Columbia Life Insurance Co., at the Cincinnati Business Men's Club, Cincinnati, Monday afternoon and evening.

Mr. E. P. Musselman, Dayton architect, who is well known in this city, is in a critical condition at Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, following an operation performed last week. Friends here have learned.

The Pocatontas Thimble Club will meet at the home of Mrs. John White, S. Monroe St., Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The meeting will be in the form of a "pound party" for a member of the club who is ill.

A meeting of young people of the Sabina district will be held at the M. P. Church, Bowersville, Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Special evangelistic services opened at the M. P. Church, Paintersville, Sunday evening in charge of the pastor, the Rev. C. A. Arthur. The services will continue for two weeks and will be held every evening starting at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Ronald Faulkner, Paintersville, who has been seriously ill with pleurisy the past three weeks, is slowly improving.

The Catholic Ladies of Columbia will sponsor a card party at the home of Mrs. W. P. McKay, 417 W. Market St., Thursday afternoon. The games will start at 1:45 o'clock and the public is invited. Those attending are asked to make their reservations with Mrs. McKay.

Mrs. Frank Linkhart, assisted by Mrs. George Luttill, will entertain members of the Obidient Thimble Club at her home, 101 E. Second St., Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Woods and family, Upper Bellbrook Pike, entertained as their guests at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Thompson and son, Junior, Wilmington Pike.

The executive board of Greene County Chapter, American Red Cross, will meet at Red Cross headquarters Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Dr. A. B. Kester, N. King St., went to Cincinnati Tuesday to attend a convention of the Ohio State Dental Society at the Netherland Plaza Hotel. He will be gone until Friday.

The Old Town Run Community Club will meet at the school Friday evening. Members are asked to bring cheese sandwiches and apple pie for refreshments.

The Misses Jean B. Elwell and Maude Elbright, E. Church St., left Monday afternoon for Long Beach, Fla., to spend several months.

Mrs. A. B. Kester, N. King St., is spending several days with relatives in Leesburg, O.

Regular meeting of Triumph Temple, No. 467, Pythian Sisters, will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the K. of P. Hall. Second nomination of officers will take place.

COMMUNITY CHEST SEEKS CLOTHING

Appeal of the Xenia Community Chest organization for further subscriptions to the present chest fund has been extended to include contributions of old clothes.

Xenians having old clothing to donate are requested to notify chest headquarters by phoning 817, and the clothing will be called for by Harry Spencer, this city, who has donated his truck and services to the chest organization to collect the wearing apparel. The two days set aside for this purpose are Thursday and Friday this week.

Mr. Spencer will not make a personal solicitation but will call on only upon those persons who notify chest officials they have old clothes to donate.

ENROLL 25 HERE FOR GUARD UNIT

Names of twenty-five men have been received here as members of the reorganized Co. L, Ohio National Guard, it was announced Tuesday by a member of the general committee in charge of the reorganization of the company.

A general committee of twenty Xenians, appointed at a meeting of local organizations recently, has a list of 100 names of eligible men and are making calls on these persons. Approximately sixty men are needed to reorganize the company here.

BUS LINE TO AIRPORT KANSAS CITY—A heavy increase in the number of passengers handled at the Kansas City airport has resulted in the inauguration of a regular twelve hour schedule bus line between the airport and the city proper by the street railways company. An increased number of employees at the airport also was a contributing factor in establishment of the bus line.

GETS FIRST TAGS

FIRST set of tags issued by the Greene County Auto Club Tuesday when the 1932 motor vehicle license plates were placed on sale for the first time was procured by Earl E. Boxwell, N. Galloway St. Mr. Boxwell received license number D25,029 of the club series.

Although next year's plates went on sale Tuesday they may not be used by motorists until December 10, it is warned.

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CLAYTON GRISSOM.

BRAND WILL RETIRE FROM POST; XENIAN FAVORED FOR PLACE

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except in Clark County where he has been prominent in business, banking and aviation circles for some time.

Marshall was born on a Sugar-creek Twp. farm and received his education in the public schools and at Cedarville College.

He entered politics more than twenty years ago when he served four years as county clerk of courts and has been prominently identified with politics in the county and district ever since.

He served two terms in the state senate in 1925 and 1927 and has been chairman of the Republican executive committee of Greene County for a number of years. For more than twenty years he has been a practicing attorney and is associated with his brother, J. Carl Marshall, in the law firm of Marshall and Marshall with offices in the Allen Bldg. The brothers also own and operate a farm in Sugar-creek Twp.

Mr. Marshall is married and has two children. Max, a law student at Ohio State University and Miss Jean, a student at Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware. The Marshall home is at 402 N. King St.

Judge Harry B. Gram of the Springfield probate court, defeated by Brand last year, will support Greene, he said Tuesday. "I certainly shall support him," he said, "I believe he will make a good strong candidate and that he will have strong backing. Of course he is a novice in politics, but he will have plenty of advice from the older politicians of Clark County and the district."

William Keiffer, of the law firm of Keiffer and Keiffer and a son of General J. Warren Keiffer, prominent in national politics for many years, asked concerning his views of the Greiner candidacy indicated he would support the Springfield man.

"His announcement of candidacy of course came as a surprise and we have hardly had time yet to consider it very much," said Mr. Keiffer. "But I believe that he is seriously a candidate and that he will make a strong race."

Mr. Greiner is 38 years old, one of the youngest men ever to seek the Republican nomination in the seventh district. He is vice-president of the Lagonda Citizens' National Bank, treasurer of the Buffalo Springfield Road Roller Co., secretary-treasurer of the Little Greiner Flying Service Inc. and president of the Springfield County Club. He is a veteran of the World War, serving in the quarter-master corps. His war service was entirely in this country during the period of actual hostilities and it was not until the day after the armistice was signed that he was sent to France where he served until the following spring. His original entry into the service was through the draft on July 1, 1918.

Mr. Marshall is a political veteran, and the man he hopes to succeed, Mr. Brand, is also a veteran in politics. He started his public career in 1911 in Urbana as a city official. Later he served in the Ohio legislature and first was elected as a member of the 69th congress, serving in the 70th and 71st congresses. He will continue to serve until the end of the present session when, unless there should be a special session called, he will retire from public life to resume operation of his farm and dairy interests in Champaign County.

L. L. Miller, chairman of the Clark County Republican committee Tuesday refused to say which of the two candidates would receive the official endorsement of the Clark County committee.

"No action of any kind has been taken so far and no pledge has been made," he said.

CHILDREN EAT POISON

EATING tablets intended for poultry medicine held and Ellen Carman, four-year-old twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. William Carman, Paintersville, were made violently ill at their home Monday afternoon. The tablets were samples that had come in the mail and the parents, not knowing they were poisonous, left them within the children's reach.

A physician was summoned and first aid was administered. The little girls were recovering satisfactorily Tuesday.

XENIA AND GREENE COUNTY OBITUARY, FUNERAL NOTICES

CLEMENT GRAVES
Funeral services for Clement L. Graves, 68, who died at his home near Bellbrook Saturday evening, were held Tuesday afternoon at the Louis Berk Funeral Home, Dayton, and burial was made in Woodland Cemetery, Dayton.

Mr. Graves was born in Dayton, the son of the late George M. and Annie E. Graves. He spent his early life on a ranch near El Paso, Tex., but returned to Dayton in 1888 where he was engaged in business. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary L. Graves and his son, Harry L. Graves. Mrs. William H. Golden, Dayton, formerly of this city, is a sister.

SAY CHECK PASSER ARRESTED BEFORE

Paul Neff, 33, Bryan, O., musician, who was held to the grand jury under \$500 bond on a fraudulent check charge by Mayor A. E. Richards at Cedarville Monday, admitted to Xenia authorities that he was arrested at Cleveland, O., in 1924 on a similar bogus check charge. Neff, who has been identified with a number of well known orchestras, made use of an army acquaintance with Harold H. Brown, Cedarville druggist, to induce the druggist to cash a worthless check for \$70 for him Saturday, authorities say.

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EFFECT OF MACHINE AGE DISCUSSED BY ANTIOCH LECTURER

"The machine is not in itself good or bad; force is neutral. The present evil lies in the absence of a true sense of values in man for the guidance of that force," declared Dr. J. J. Vander Leeuw, of the American Student Federation, speaking Monday before the assembled students and faculty of Antioch College, Yellow Springs. The topic under discussion by Dr. Vander Leeuw, a lecturer from Holland who has travelled widely in Europe and Asia, was "The Soul of Man in the Machine Age."

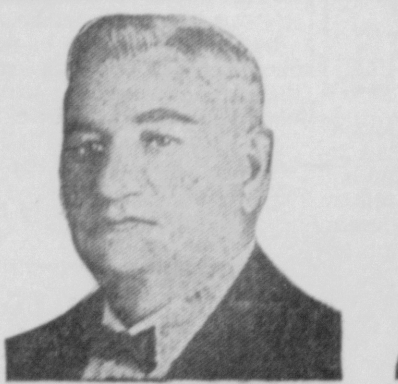
"Our being has become divided into various water-tight compartments. During the last centuries our intellectual development has gone on with no relation to our emotional progress. Scientific or technical advance is considered entirely apart from moral values. To illustrate: I saw recently at the Aviation Exhibition in Paris tens of thousands of people admiring innovations in machinery which may destroy them in the near future. Our technical activity has outstripped our moral evolution."

"Science," Dr. Vander Leeuw further pointed out, "has given man a fictitious omnipresence which reigns throughout the entire physical world. Now one may hear and be heard half way around the earth; soon it will be possible to see and be seen on the other side of the globe. The world has been made, in our days, technically one. However, man has attempted to view it as morally, socially, economically, and politically divided. We can no longer look upon one country as distinct from another in these respects."

Through this astounding technical advancement," he continued, "we have achieved a higher standard of comfort, surely, but this must not be confused with a higher standard of living. That standard is raised only when spontaneous self-expression increases. As life becomes more mechanized, we lose the realization that life can be lived without the machine, and fail to see that human existence is being governed by its rhythm. Man loses the use of his physical organism when necessary work is performed by the mechanical contrivances he has perfected. Though it is true that human beings are freed from labor and should therefore have time for fine living, our enjoyment of leisure is becoming increasingly dependent upon mechanical amusement. Strong and varied stimuli from outside sources have taken the place of the creative force from within that should have its opportunity for expression during leisure time."

"The possibility for a general culture is greater, but I do not know whether there is more thinking. We are accepting 'syndicated thought.' Collectivism, which should be the basis for economic aspects of life appears instead in its cultural phases; and individualism, which is allowed great play in the modern social and political structure, is absent from creative fields. This reversal of tendencies is not necessary in the machine age; it is simply a symptom of the moment. As man becomes increasingly alive within himself, the machine will be a power guided by a humanity which has found creative unity within itself."

A part of the property stolen at the Monnett residence has been recovered, it was disclosed by the sheriff. Some of the property was located by deputy sheriffs Sunday afternoon near Union City, Ind., where it had been sold by Baker and Johnson. The recovered property includes four or five bed spreads, a considerable quantity of table silverware, and a shotgun. A bedspread, 150 years old, an heirloom in the Monnett family and valued highly, was among a quantity of goods burned in a stove at Liming's home near Osborn when discovery was feared.



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Yellow Springs.

The county Prince of Peace decimation contest will be held Sunday evening at 7:30 in the First M. E. Church in Xenia. Young people from the towns in the county will compete for the honor of representing Greene County in the district contest. At the contest held here a few weeks ago there were six young people who took part. George Yeazel won first place and Lolia Griffin won second.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church will hold its annual Christmas bazaar at the church Thursday afternoon and evening. The sale of gifts will begin at 4 o'clock. Supper will be served in the basement of the church from 5:30 to 7 o'clock.

Three one-act plays will be presented by the Antioch players Friday evening, December 11. The plays are: "The Long Christmas Dinner," "Pullman Car Hiawatha" and "The Happy Journey to Trenton and Camden." Prof. B. H. Pillard of Antioch College is directing the plays.

Dr. Rudolph Broda, associate professor of social sciences of Antioch College returned Wednesday from an extensive tour of Europe.

Dr. and Mrs. Grant Minnich left Sunday for the South, where they will spend the winter. They will visit in Pensacola, Fla., before going to their winter home in Summerville, Ala.

Robert Layton of Donnellsville and Miss Emma Denison left Friday for Thomasville, Ga., where they will spend a few weeks visiting relatives.

Miss Ethel Carlisle, who teaches in Louisville, Ky., spent the Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Carlisle.

Mrs. O. C. Munch left Tuesday for Oklahoma, where she will spend the winter with her niece and family.

Miss Jean Taylor returned Sunday from Pittsburgh, where she spent a few days the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. G. MacLennan. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reed and baby spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Reed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Stewart.

Miss Nellie Grinnell went to Cincinnati Thursday, where she will spend a week with friends. From

there she will go to Georgia, to visit her nephew and family. Miss Grinnell expects to spend the winter in the South.

Mrs. S. W. Cox left Saturday for South Bend, Ind., where she will visit Rev. Harold Clerk and family.

Earl Sheridan and family, who have been living in the Mellinger property on Whitman St. moved Saturday into the Hackett property on Walnut St.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard McClelland of Xenia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Swinnerton, Sunday. Mrs. McClelland was soloist at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning.

Miss Leah Wolford, who is teaching in Hamilton, spent the Thanksgiving vacation with her parents. Miss Mary Weiss entertained a group of friends at six o'clock dinner at her home Saturday evening. After dinner two tables of bridge was enjoyed by the guests. Those present were: Miss Mildred Stewart, Miss Jean Carr, Miss Ethel Carlisle, Miss Clara Zell, Miss Louise Harris, Miss Jean Taylor and Miss Mary and Miss Mabel Weiss.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Campbell and son Kenneth and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brewer spent Sunday with their aunt in New Madison.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Do not I hate them, O Lord, that hate thee and am not I grieved with those that rise up against thee?—Psalm, cxxxix, 21.

'Is Capitalism Worth Saving'

(An Editorial By Chester M. Wright)

Hamilton Fish, member of Congress from New York, and Norman Thomas, socialist propagandist, have been debating the question of whether we ought to pitch in and save the capitalist system. It is one of forty-odd foolish subjects for debate. The term "capitalist system" came to us from the socialist vocabulary. It means many things to many men. Perhaps its most generally accepted meaning is a system under which there is private ownership of capital, including wealth of all kinds. Such debates settle nothing and produce very little enlightenment. Generally their main purpose is to center attention on the debaters and their notions.

"Shall we try to save the capitalist system?" Or, "Is it worth saving?"

In the first place there is no such thing, strictly speaking, as a capitalist system.

Our system, if we have one, is a mixture of many things. In the United States we have everything from feudalism to public ownership. And we have no static system of any kind. No system that stands still and is the same today as yesterday.

"The system," whatever it is, changes from day to day and from year to year. It moves and grows. It develops and it changes.

The post office system once was privately operated. It once was a combination of runner, stage coach and pony express. It has changed and it is changing. So is everything else.

Nobody needs bother much about saving the capitalist system, or any other system.

What we must save is the opportunity of the people to express themselves effectively, to join in voluntary action, to have the final voice in making decisions, in short to rule themselves.

What we need is to keep the road to the future wide open. That open road is the thing to save.

What we want to bother about is democracy, not the system sometimes called the capitalist system.

In Italy there is the fascist system and the road to change is closed.

In Russia there is the soviet system and the road to change is blocked.

Whatever system a people elect to have is right, at the time and for that people. The important thing, for all peoples, is the right to select change—to move forward.

We do not want to preserve in America the faults out of which we have derived unemployment, but we do want the right to preserve the right things out of which we have gained what we believe to be good.

Hamilton Fish and Norman Thomas are wasting a lot of time, debating a foolish question, far away from essentials. They are not alone in so doing. As Congress convenes they will have new company.

Labor points out the right course. Preserve and improve democracy and with the machinery of democracy the people will shape their course toward the light.

Keep the road open and there will be progress, orderly and continuous. Close the road and then you have to look out for explosions.

NEW UNIT

A "white collar" unit has just been opened at Mount Sinai Hospital in New York. The cost of private hospital and nursing care in it will be about one-half of that now charged throughout the city. A peculiar need is thus intended to be met.

"White collars" adorn a large and useful but generally neglected element in the population. They surround necks squeezed between the nether stone of poverty, which must accept charity, and the upper stone of wealth, which does not have to. The men and women who wear them have neither money power nor the power that comes of cohesive class consciousness and action. They fare badly at many turns on the social map.

The attempt to meet charges based on the ability of the rich to pay has burdened wearers of white collars in more matters than hospitalization. They are everywhere expected to do more financially than wearers of colored collars or no collars at all, although their earning power in many cases may be less. The "satisfaction" of spotless linen is supposed to equalize their rewards with those of other classes. Sometimes it does. Oftener it doesn't.

The opportunity of getting hospital treatment at Mount Sinai at rates which, while permitting them to retain their sartorial self-respect, are within their financial competency, affords a tangible recognition of their social predicament.

Other Editorial Thoughts

BE SURE OF THE BRAKES

A giant locomotive moved majestically out of the railway roundhouse the other morning, preparatory to being coupled to a long train for a fast journey across several states. In the cab sat a veteran engineer watching carefully the performance of his son, a young man just beginning his service as a master of the speeding wheels and rods. Suddenly the grizzled engineer reached out his hand as the engine gathered speed and applied the mechanical power controlling the brakes. The locomotive instantly slackened its speed. The son looked quizzically at his father, failing to understand the reason for his action.

"Before you start out on a run be absolutely sure your brakes are in good working order," admonished the veteran engineer with a smile. "That's one of the first rules of the road—and it is sure to prevent things going wrong in time of emergency."

A similar standard of practice could be applied with profit to another form of transportation, the automobile. How many pilots of cars know for a certainty when they set out across streets thickly strewn with traffic whether their brakes will stop the wheels in a swift second after the foot is applied—whether they are complete masters of the mechanisms they guide down the highway? Statistics recently gathered indicate that one of the chief causes for automobile smash-ups is defective brakes. One way to cut down the hazards of fast motor travel is for every driver occasionally to test the gripping power of his brakes. Perhaps each time he leaves the garage. And of course the motorist who already knows his brakes are "not taking hold as they should" ought to voluntarily rule himself off the road until they are fixed. — Christian Science Monitor.

MY NEW YORK

By JAMES ASWELL

NEW YORK. — The first kosher food kitchen for the unemployed has been opened in Madison street. And the Y. M. C. A. has a stenographer's practice room, where jobless typists can retain their speed while seeking work. Oysters taste best from those East Side push carts, opened to order and drowned in pepper sauce.

Columnist: a man who spends three hours tracking down an item and then compresses it into a sentence. Why do the I. R. T. subways seem to move faster than the B. M. T.? I am told their speeds are about the same on the average. The Washington bridge is magnificent, but the old Brooklyn span still has more sweep and dignity for me.

There is a speakeasy in Hell's Kitchen for French taxi drivers only. Elevator boys in fashionable apartment buildings pick up as much as \$50 monthly for exercising dogs. Kidnapping is the favorite racket of gangdom now. I have never known anyone who really averaged less than six hours' sleep a night.

HOP, SKIP AND JUMP

Clarence Chamberlain, the aviator, is advertising in the want ad section for young men with cars to boom his really connections. He is one of those strange stepchildren of fame who cannot seem to drift through on the tide of acclaim and make a living out of it, having tried several ventures. Tucker Faithful, sister of the ill-fated Starr whose death occupied the police and reportorial mystery squads a few months ago, is going over big as a model. She is also dickering for a radio connection. It was estimated that a Thanksgiving dinner for five could be served grandly this year in Manhattan at a total cost of \$4.87. Itemized as follows: Ten-pound turkey, \$3; two quarts cranberries, 15 cents; four pounds sweet potatoes, 23 cents; one pound onions, 5 cents; one mince pie, 25 cents; one turnip, 10 cents; five oranges, 20 cents; five eating apples, 15 cents; one stalk of celery, 15 cents; one pound of coffee, 25 cents; one quart chestnuts, 15 cents; one squash, 15 cents. Total, \$4.87.

What did yours cost?

EIGHT SHOWS OUT

This is a sad week-end for plays—eight quitting. The stops include Norman Bel Geddes' expensive production of "Hamlet," which seemed to bore the critics, and Ethel Barrymore in "The School for Scandal," which goes on four. There are, however, a goodly number of successes, considering the times. Among the plays that are hearing the clink of coin are: Eugene O'Neill's "Mourning Becomes Electra," "Cynara," "Briar Rose," Katharine Cornell in "The Barretts of Wimpole Street," "The Band Wagon," Ed Wynn in "The Laugh Parade," Helen Hayes in "The Good Fairy," Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne in "Reveries in Vienna," "Varieties," "Everybody's Welcome" and Elmer Rice's two plays, written and produced by him, "The Left Bank" and "Counsellor-at-Law."

AMONG THE HEADLINERS IN DECEMBER EVENING SKY

During the first half of December the early evening sky brings forth several outstanding stars of lustrous hues. There is Sirius appearing the most brilliant of them all and trailing after the mighty Orion. Orion itself can boast of Betelgeuse, one of the largest stars with a red glow, and of Rigel, a colossal white star of intense heat. And Aldebaran the red giant 38 times the diameter of the sun, gleaming in the head of Taurus. "The money which the allies borrowed here to carry on the World war," continued the senator, "had to be borrowed first by the Washington government from the American people, to lend abroad. The belligerents were glad to get it then on almost any terms. During the international debt settlement negotiations after the conflict, as everyone must remember, they were clamorous for far easier conditions. The conditions they obtained were easier than most folk, probably, realize."

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GRAB BAG

How much land is under cultivation in the world?

How long has the tam o'shanter been worn?

What great steamship was sunk on May 7, 1915, with the loss of many well-known persons?

Today's Anniversary
On this day, in 1818, Illinois was admitted to the Union.

Answers to Foregoing Questions
1. It has been estimated that of an area of 15,000,000,000 acres, approximately one and one-half billion acres are under cultivation.

2. It was worn as early as 1840-50 by Scotch plowmen. About 1889 it was modified as a headress for girls and young women.

3. The steamship Lusitania was sunk May 7, 1915, off the coast of Ireland, by the German submarine Note: The following pamphlets may be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin and a large stamped self-addressed envelope for each to Central Press Bureau, P. O. Box 126, Washington, D. C. "Who's Who in Hollywood," "Seeing Washington," "Swimming," "Charles P. Stewart's treatise on 'Our Government,'" and "The World War."

ONE CANDIDATE SURE TO BE IN THE RUNNING



AMERICAN TAXPAYERS WILL SOON FEEL DEBTS REPUDIATED BY EUROPE

CHARLES P. STEWART

WASHINGTON.—Again and again Americans have been reminded that America's own taxpayers must pay all of Europe's war debts in this country which the European debtor nations escape paying.

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Pneumonia Big Factor

By LOGAN CLENDENIN, M. D.

Pneumonia still is one of the mighty factors in human life. One of the Captains of the Men of Death, "Pilgrim's Progress" called tuberculosis The Captain of the Men of Death, and in that day it was true—it was the most frequent cause of death. Now it has been unseated from its high command. There are several diseases, almost equally responsible for the majority of mortalities. Of these pneumonia is the chief.

It is in many ways a mysterious disease. The cause of it—the actual germ—we have known for many years. Yet how it gets into the body and into the particular part of the body affected—the lungs—or in other words, the actual mechanism of attack, we know virtually nothing. A facile answer is that it is breathed into the lungs. This seems natural, but it does not explain why one whole lobe of the lung is affected while all the remainder of the lung is clear. Or why all the remainder of the lobes of the lungs do not successfully become involved with so patent a contagion constantly present in one of them.

It is not contagious from one individual to another. Nurses, doctors and members of the family can be around pneumonia patients day and night and remain unaffected. Yet at certain seasons of the year it will bring down large numbers of the populace one after the other. It would seem as if some change in the body's condition—chemical or physiological—were the only important predisposing cause of pneumonia. What that predisposing change is, we know as little as did Hippocrates 2,400 years ago. Wet, cold and exposure certainly are factors. Alcoholic excess and lack of plenty of nourishing food likewise. Aside from these, there is mere speculation.

There are several forms of pneumonia—two main ones—lobar pneumonia, in which one entire lobe of a lung is affected (or possibly two entire lobes); and broncho-pneumonia, which affects the terminals of many small air-tubes all over both lungs. Broncho-pneumonia was the sort we encountered in the great influenza epidemic and is the kind which supervenes on measles in children. It is by far the more fatal and dangerous of the two.

As to treatment, there have been innumerable attempts during the past fifteen years to establish an effective serum or anti-toxin for pneumonia. All of those developed have been, in my opinion, failures. Many are frequently used; they do no harm; it is possible they may do some good; in pneumonia the physician is willing to try anything that might help.

Rest, good nursing, fresh air and light nourishment are still, however, our mainstays in treatment. The use of oxygen has of late years been made more valuable by the use of the oxygen tent apparatus. This apparatus is too expensive for most private physicians to keep on hand. In every community, therefore, it is the duty of the community hospital to obtain one of these, and to make it available to the particular citizen who needs it.

Girl's Folks Object

By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

"Dear Virginia Lee: My friend and I are very much in love. He is 27 and I am 20. The difference in our ages is not too great, is it?"

"I come from educated people and have some money. He has not had the opportunity of having much education, but is very ambitious and always works. He is only a laborer, but I could be happy with him. What he does doesn't matter me, as long as he is honest and sensible. Don't you think I am right?"

"My parents think that I should marry a man with money and education. I will greatly appreciate your advice."

"He drinks, but never gets drunk. He always knows when he has enough. Is there any harm in that kind of drinking?"

"If your friend really is as can remain temperate in his drinking, I suppose it will be all right, Anna. Personally, I always prefer folk to leave it alone almost entirely."

I don't wonder that your people are worried about the affair, Anna. It may be that this young man is just the ideal mate for you. I would much prefer a daughter of mine to marry a fine, upstanding young laborer with ambition to get on and make the most of what education he has and get more, than an amemic college graduate who felt that real work was beneath him.

Nevertheless, for the most nearly perfect happiness in marriage two persons should be able to enjoy the same things. If one is fond of reading, music, the arts and the other is bored thereby, there is apt to be much loneliness and longing for suitable companionship on the part of one or both, and consequent estrangement.

The difference in ages would not matter if you feel he has gotten far enough along in a business way for a man of his age.

Is this young man the type of person you would want for the father of your children, Anna? Will he be able to be the kind of guardian and pal young people need—the dad they can look up to and imitate? Will he ever get beyond the laborer class? Is he trying to gain the education he lacks and "get somewhere"? If so, well and good. If not, better postpone the match until you are perfectly sure you want a laborer for a husband and will be perfectly content with such "as long as you shall live."

"Dear Miss Lee: I am 27 and have been going to a fellow about four and one-half years. He is 29. He is very good to me, but does not like me to go with other fellows or go dancing."

"He has not given me a diamond yet. Every time I talk about one he gets mad and says he loves me but has not got any money to get married with. He works every day but does not make a great deal. I wish you would please tell me what I should do. Lonesome Me"

I think it is quite probable that if you have any desire to get married you had better give the guy friend the "fare you want." Lonesome Me. Even if he doesn't earn much, if he cared very much for you he could save enough money to buy you a modest ring.

That in itself would not matter so much. It is the principle of the thing which counts. A man who loves a girl and wants to call her his, manages, somehow, to save toward that end and show in every way that he does.

Personally, I think that unless you are content to be a bachelor maid and enjoy a platonic friendship with this young man indefinitely, better break with him and have a good time dancing with others.

Fruits having small acid contents are melons, bananas, currants, blackberries and pears.

The eggs of the halibut are the largest of the deep sea fish.

The state having the first pure food law was Michigan. It was passed in 1895.

OUR TWIN PLANET
By Arthur DeV. Carpenter
To us mortals of the earth the planet Venus is an object of great interest. Venus and our globe are twins as to size, and they weigh about alike. The real diameter of Venus is very close to 7,700 miles; its mass (weight) is 81 per cent of the earth's; its density is 88 per cent, while the gravitation at its surface is 85 per cent as great as the earth's. So, if you weigh 175 pounds on the earth, you would weigh 148 3/4 pounds on Venus. Venus has a path around the sun which it covers in 225 days at a mean distance of 67.2 million miles and hustles along with a speed of 22 miles a second.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS
By MRS. MARY MORTON

MENU HINT

DINNERS

Ham Loaf
Hashed Potatoes in Cream
String Beans
Bread and Butter
Ice Cream
Tea or Coffee
Cake

Breaded Veal Cutlets
Au Gratin Potatoes
Baked Squash
Head Lettuce
Hot Biscuits
Cookies
Tea, Coffee or Milk

Meat Loaf
Baked Macaroni and Tomatoes
Beet Salad
Bread and Butter
Steamed Pudding—Hard Sauce
Tea or Coffee

Hot Roast Beef Sandwich
Gravy
Riced Potatoes
Buttered Onions
Pineapple Salad
Baked Custard
Tea or Coffee

Hamburger Balls
Gravy
Mashed Potatoes
Spinach
Fruit Gelatin
Whipped Cream
Tea or Coffee

Liver and Bacon
Baked Potatoes
Cabbage Salad
Butter
Jam
Baked Indian Pudding
Tea or Coffee

Baked Ham
French Fried Potatoes
Buttered String Beans
Assorted Pickles
All-Bean Muffins
Butter
Vanilla Blanc Mange
Tea or Coffee

Today's Recipes
Bananas with Honey.—Six bananas, two tablespoons butter, two tablespoons honey, two tablespoons lemon juice. Remove skins and cut bananas in halves lengthwise. Arrange in a shallow pan. Spread the honey over the bananas, dot with butter and pour on the lemon juice. Bake 20 minutes in a slow oven, basting occasionally with sauce.

Suggestions
Peanut Cookies.—One-fourth cup fat, one-half cup sugar, one egg, one-fourth cup evaporated milk, one teaspoon lemon juice (one cup flour, one and one-half teaspoons baking powder, one-half teaspoon salt, one and one-half cups finely ground peanuts. Cream fat. Add sugar and cream until light and fluffy. Beat in the egg, then add milk and lemon juice. Stir flour then measure. Resift with baking powder and salt into first mixture. Stir in peanuts. Drop from spoon onto slightly oiled baking sheet. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about ten minutes. Yield: Three dozen good cookies.

The average family annually consumes approximately 147 pounds of sugar, eight pounds of tea and 40 pounds of coffee.

A well-cured ham is usually in perfection when one year old.

Bald Heads Next Problem

SPORT SNAP SHOTS

FRAMED
by Phil

Predicting the outcome of football games has been a hazardous undertaking this fall. This was never better exemplified than on Thanksgiving Day and Saturday. This column's forecasters again had bad innings. J. Fred Schultz, who did the "official" guessing against his better judgment, had seven winners and five losers, while Emanuel Good, Osborn, had eleven predictions come true, five others go wrong and he also had two tie games. Thus endeth the grid prediction business.

Just as soon as a youth achieves gridiron glory in the Southland, he immediately eliminates his baptismal name. Until he began to run amuck with touchdowns, Vernon Mott was Vernon Mott of Georgia. After that he became Buster Mott, and that's the way he has been listed on the programs and in publicity material. A youth named Hill who does flank duty is Bunker Hill—and no more. Then there was a fellow named Hall who was Mike, Jake or Louie before he became football conscious, and after which he was City Hall. Sugar Miller is the name of a left end—first christened name ignored in the directory. Johnny or Joe Feathers became Chicken Feathers. A boy with the name of Alex or Francis Hope became Fond Hope. Those nicknames become completely official with the Southern squads as for instance, if Catfish Smith does herculean work for Georgia, and you'd like to write something about him and use his regular first name, it simply can't be done because he is listed as Catfish and you can take it that way or leave it strictly alone.

Pity the Army against Notre Dame. That was what almost everybody, including all the sport writers, said before the game Saturday. The tear-shedding business for the poor Army eleven became so contagious that even Notre Dame caught the idea, took pity on the service team and lost, 12 to 0. That was over-doing the thing a trifle, but Army apparently could have gotten along nicely by itself.

The average fan has an idea that a shortstop on a major league ball club faces more physical hazards than any of his mates. Records just released show the contrary to be true. Three of nine big league stars who completed the 1931 season without missing a game played in the short field. They were: Joe Cronin, of Washington, Lyn Lary, of New York, in the American, and Woody English, of Chicago, in the National League. This theory, lost during the last few years in the iron man stunts of Lou Gehrig, hard hitting first baseman of the Yankees, who has taken part in 1,041 consecutive games, was amply demonstrated between June 20, 1916 and May 5, 1925 when L. Everett Scott created his world record of 1,307 consecutive games. Scott was a shortstop. So was Joe Sewell, when, playing with the Indians between September 13, 1922 and April 30, 1930, he took part in 1,102 games without a break.

Bowling

The Schmidt Oil Co. bowling team regained some lost ground by winning three games in a row from the Krippendorf Shoes. The winners tallied 2,515 pins. Bill Smith totaling 620, "Dempsey" Bates rolled 618 for Krippendorf. Box score:

Schmidt Oil Co.	197	171	187
White	168	201	193
Donley	177	209	234
Muehlenhard	204	172	162
Malavazos	179	190	175
Totals	943	925	950

Krippendorf Shoes.

Bates	185	207	226
Dice	196	180	170
Jordan	161	212	190
Leach	185	155	157
Brickell	185	165	178
Bertram	179	190	175
Totals	920	912	879



Merrie and Christy bought red paper bells
Whose tongues are silent, but still they can tell
The story of bells that gladly chime
The tidings of joy at Christmas time.
It's
20 short days until Christmas.
—Opal Hemler.

SEZ YOU by IRWIN and HENRY STEIG

	True	False	Score
1. The whiffletree is useful in wagon construction			
2. The distance between the earth and the sun is always the same			
3. Mrs. Betsy Ross is credited with having made the first American flag			
4. "Excelsior" was the name of King Arthur's sword			
5. The Mexican jumping bean is a fictitious vegetable			
6. A plateau is a high flat land			
7. The Magyars are the people of Hungary			
8. There are six feet in a fathom			
9. Elbe water is a kind of mineral water			
10. Dr. Watson is a character in Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's Sherlock Holmes stories			
TOTAL			

Here's how to get your intelligence score. If you think a statement is true, place a check beside it in the column headed "True." If you think it false, place a check beside it in the column headed "False." After you have completed the questions look up the correct answers and put in down in the "Score" column every time you are correct. A perfect score is 100.

Answers to "Sez You" on Page 6

INSURANCE FOR GRID PLAYERS SUGGESTED BY SPORTS SCRIBE

By FRANK G. MENKE
I. N. S. Sports Editor
NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Why not insurance for football players against crippling injury or death on fields of gridiron conflict?

Why shouldn't colleges, which are enriched from \$200,000 to beyond \$1,000,000 annually, through the efforts of its athletic students, spend a small portion of those funds to insure the squads, whose limbs and lives are exploited by colleges to build up bigger and bulkier treasures?

Death's roll call reveals that thirty youths so far have surrendered their lives in football play in 1931.

These boys are sacrifices to the something that is called "Alma Mater." But would it not be better

SPYING ON SPORTS

By WILLIAM RITT

Hobart, 43; Rochester, 7.
That's what that line of type—a tiny, two-inch parade of fifteen letters and three numerals—said. It was hard to find, all but hidden in that storm of headlines and glowing sports literature which roared two stunning facts to readers of football finals last Saturday.

"Trojans Stop Irish" and "Yale Beats Harvard" Two incredible, impossible events had taken place on two gridirons 1,000 miles apart and while a nation read and gasped that little line of type went unnoticed.

But there it was: Hobart, 13; Rochester, 7.
And, forever, to the men of Hobart that line will be a sacred one, to be repeated as one chants a litany of faith.

That line—Hobart, 13; Rochester 7—concludes one of the strangest sagas of the football fields. It looks like a gate to a savage morass of constant defeat through which Hobart flourished for three full years.

From the Rochester-Hobart game of 1929 to the Hobart-Rochester game of last Saturday, Hobart college won no football games and lost 27—in a row!

Here is the incredible Hobart record:

1928	1929
Rochester, 20; Hobart, 18.	1929
Syracuse, 7; Hobart, 0.	Dartmouth, 68; Hobart, 0.
Union, 28; Hobart, 13.	Williams, 47; Hobart, 0.
Clarkson, 25; Hobart, 0.	Hamilton, 19; Hobart, 6.
Alfred, 19; Hobart, 7.	Buffalo, 13; Hobart, 7.
Rochester, 13; Hobart, 0.	1930
New York U., 35; Hobart, 0.	Syracuse, 49; Hobart, 0.
St. Lawrence, 39; Hobart, 0.	Williams, 65; Hobart, 0.
Hamilton, 6; Hobart, 0.	Alfred, 19; Hobart, 0.
Clarkson, 25; Hobart, 0.	Buffalo, 20; Hobart, 6.
Rochester, 28; Hobart, 0.	1931
New York U., 65; Hobart, 0.	Syracuse, 49; Hobart, 0.
St. Lawrence, 51; Hobart, 0.	Union, 33; Hobart, 7.
Kenyon, 26; Hobart, 7.	Alfred, 2; Hobart, 0.
Long Island, 14; Hobart, 6.	Buffalo, 29; Hobart, 5.

But now that is at an end.

And it is not a paradox to say that Hobart men should be proud of Hobart.

As year of defeat followed year of defeat the Hobart spirit never wavered. Though Hobart's football efforts became the butt of a nation's joke, Hobart's teams a laughing stock—there were always eleven boys willing to wear Hobart colors and alumni and student body always at hand to cheer them on.

And THAT is the genuine brand of school spirit.

Maybe Hobart, now, will win all games next year, the next and the next. Hobart has earned that kind of break.

and more sincere to say that they died in the effort to build bigger and better bank accounts for colleges and schools where they played?

Inasmuch as football long since has ceased to be "a sport for sport's sake," and has been developed into a gigantic business enterprise which grosses profits up to \$20,000,000 annually during nine business weeks, is it not pertinent to ask?

Who paid the last medical or surgical bills for these boys who died as result of football play?

Who paid all the expenses of the dead hero's family which were incidental to his last injury and death?

Who paid for the burial of the body of the boy whose youthful strength and whose prowess was exploited so that colleges might swell their already enormous football fund?

If these youths had been killed while working in some industrial plant, their bereaved would have been protected financially by the workmen's compensation act. If they had met death in a train wreck, been crushed by a truck or gone to their valhalla through some other accidents, monied compensation would have been given to those loved ones who survived.

But because these boys died while playing football for "Alma Mater," which Alma Mater were profiting tremendously through their every effort on the football field then, colleges assume exemption from damages even though football is a business as intensified and as highly commercialized as any that can be found listed in Dun's or Bradstreet's.

A college faculty always can take the attitude that a boy does not have to play football; that there is nothing compulsory about it. So much, superficially, is true. But coaches, or the grads filled with football fervor, always have oratory reserved for the boy whose parents do not want him to play because of the danger in the game.

In the past the suggestion has been offered to colleges that, in simple fairness, they should insure the players. But none has done so. The excuse given is that "it would be quite costly" and then it has been added that "football is a reasonably safe game, anyway."

Thirty freshly made graves are mute testimony to the contrary. Why shouldn't institutions insure players since they permit these boys to risk limb and life in the effort to enrich more and still more the schools where they are enrolled as students but where they become merely cogs in the machine built to create tremendous money profits for those institutions?

And strangely enough it was Rochester that permitted Hobart to put a final end to her apparently endless days of disgrace. Strange—but eminently satisfying to the men of Hobart for it was Rochester that started Hobart on the road to football ruin "way back in 1928."

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N. Y. STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—A sharp selling wave in the industrials and specialties in the first period today broke up the spectacular rally that was in progress at Monday's close. Within a short period the favorites reversed themselves, recording losses of 1 to 5 points and in some cases breaking to new low levels for the year.

QUOTATIONS

New York stock market quotations received from W. E. Hutton and Co., Mutual Home Bldg., Dayton, at 2 p. m. daily.

	Mon.	Tu.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
American Can	69 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Am. Rolling Mill	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Amer. Smelting	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Anaconda Copper	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Atlantic Ref.	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
A. T. & T.	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
C. & O. R. R.	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Col. G. and E.	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Continental Can	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Cont. Oil Del.	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Gen. Foods	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
General Motors	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Grigsby-Gruson	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Hudson Motors	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Kroger	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Packard	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Para-Public	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Penn. R. R.	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Prairie Oil & Gas	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Proctor & Gamble	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Radio Corp.	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Sears-Roebuck	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Servel Inc.	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Shenandoah	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Socony Vacuum	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Standard, N. J.	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Studebaker	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
United Aircraft	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
U. S. Steel	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Warner Bros.	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2
Woolworth	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Cities Service	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
*Ex-Dividend.						

MIAMI VALLEY LOOP WILL HOLD MEETING IN DAYTON TUESDAY

Officials of the seven member schools in the Miami Valley League will assemble at the Dayton Y. M. C. A. for their semi-annual dinner-meeting at 6 o'clock Tuesday night.

The league basketball schedule for the 1932-33 season will be framed at the meeting and the chart will probably be exactly the reverse of the league schedule for the 1931-32 season. Each school will play three league games at home and three away.

It is also considered likely that the coaches of Xenia, Piqua, Troy, Miamisburg, Greenville and Sidney will go into a huddle and select all-star first and second football teams for the grid season just ended, honoring those players who were outstanding for their respective schools on the gridiron this fall.

Coach Walter C. "Pinky" Wilson, Principal F. R. Woodruff and O. B. Bogart, faculty manager of athletics, will represent Central High School at the gathering of league officials Tuesday night.

MEDICAL MEN KNOW LEGION VALUE

Dr. Marshall Best's Endorsement Tells Of Service

(Editor's Note: This is the fourth and last of a series of articles by Xenians, each of whom was asked: "Why should every person eligible become a member of the American Legion?")

By S. V. COX

Dr. Marshall Best, one of Xenia's well-known physicians is hard to locate at any particular time, because he is always on the go, as he expresses it. Found by a reporter and asked the all important question of "Why every person eligible should become a member of the American Legion?" brought the instant response that it was "service" that made it the duty almost of every ex-serviceman to join the veterans organization.

He continued: "Service to the disabled veteran of the World War is one of the outstanding objects of the American Legion and it is well within the knowledge of the medical profession that the Legion does provide that service. There is no physician in Greene County who does not know of the many times that men suffering from some disease as an aftermath of the great war have not been cared for and placed in comfortable circumstances as a result of the interest of Xenia's Legion post. The Legion has many more members than any other service organization and is the strongest of its kind, providing a worthy program for every man to support. Its achievements in the past should make every man eligible proud to wear the button that designates him as a 'buddy' of the Legion."

Thus the doctor concluded his statement with the remark that he himself was glad to be of some service to the Legion.

EAST-END NEWS

MRS. JAMES HARRIS Correspondent 91-R

East High and Lincoln Schools are offering to the public the following interesting programs of entertainment for the month of December: Thurs. night, the annual high school singing contest; Friday night, December 11, a musical comedy presented by a group of high school students; Thursday night, December 17, the primary department of Lincoln School will present the play, "The Christmas Party"; Friday night, December 18, the intermediate department will present the following numbers: A. Customs and Christmas Breezes of the Nations, B. "The Christmas Waltz."

Mrs. Henry Bledsaw, E. Market St., is confined indoors by illness. The annual meeting of the Cherry Grove Cemetery Board will be held Monday evening, December 7 at 7:30 at the home of Mr. William Jenkins, 529 E. Market St. The public is cordially invited. There will be three trustees to elect.

The Zion Baptist Missionary will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Carrie Jones, E. Church St.

Mrs. Anna Penn, E. Main St., is among the sick this week.

Mrs. Gertrude Williamson, E. Market St., has returned from a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. David Poe, Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McGoodwin and sister Miss Ethel Baker motored to Institute W. Va., to attend the football classic. While there they were the house guests of Prof. and Mrs. J. C. Evans, sister and brother-in-law of Mr. McGoodwin.

1915 MARRIAGE ANNULLED
COQUILLE, Ore.—Annulment of a marriage sixteen years old was asked here recently in circuit court by Nettie M. La Chappelle, Marshfield. She alleged that her son, Jack Lenzi La Chappelle, was a minor when he married Ada Fern Major. The ceremony was performed in 1915.

WILL SHE BE FRAU SCHMELING?



Rumor has it that Anny Ondra, beautiful German film star, will marry Max Schmeling, world's heavyweight champion. This picture of Fraulein Ondra was just received from Berlin.

BARBOUR MADE U. S. SENATOR

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 1.—W. Warren Barbour, millionaire manufacturer, today was named to succeed the late Dwight W. Morrow as United States senator from New Jersey.

Governor Morgan F. Larson named Barbour, a Republican, to serve until the next general election in 1932, when he must be a candidate for the post in order to fill it for the four years following.

FOOTBALL SIDELINE STORIES

By Central Press

Pep talks are almost as much a part of football for some teams as the pigskin itself. Dramatic, sometimes humorous, results have been the fruit of many pep talks. However, here is the funniest pep talk story of them all.

It seems that a team coached by Harry Mehre, now Georgia mentor, was playing another opponent, and the two teams had to share the same building in which to dress only a thin partition separating the rival aggregations.

Mehre, started his usual pep talk as his men donned their togs, but the voice of the other coach came through the partition in even louder tones. The other coach was a splendid orator and Mehre stopped to listen in admiration. His team listened, too.

The rival coach's dramatic speech not only fired his own men to fighting pitch but also thrilled Mehre's men with zest for battle.

"In fact," Mehre says, "that coach's splendid speech brought my boys to such a peak that they went out and licked his team easily."

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and medium \$4 to \$5.50; aged ewes \$1.50 downward.
Receipts Monday cattle 1,332; calves 424; hogs 4,913, sheep 573.
Shipments Monday cattle 177; calves none, hogs 1,165, sheep none.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 1.—Cattle receipts light and steady; steers, good to choice heavy none; steers, medium to good heavy, \$6.75 to \$8.55; steers, good to choice handy none; steers, fair to medium light, \$5.75 to \$6.75; steers, common to fair, \$4.50 to \$5.75; heifers, good to choice none; common to medium, \$4 to \$6; cows, good to choice, \$3.75 to \$4.75; common to medium \$3 to \$3.75; bulls, \$3 to \$4.50; milch cows, 30-75.

Hogs—receipts 200; holdovers 600 mostly 30c lower; prime heavies, \$4.25 to \$4.60; heavy mixed, \$4.60 to \$4.80; mediums, \$4.75 to \$4.90; heavy Yorkers, \$4.90 to \$5; light Yorkers, \$4.50 to \$4.85; pigs, \$4.25 to \$4.50; roughs, \$3.25 to \$3.75.

Sheep and lamb—receipts 250; market steady; prime wethers, 3.25 to 3.50; choice lambs, \$6 to 6.25.
Calves receipts 100; market 50c higher; good to choice veals, \$8 to 9.

XENIA LIVESTOCK
Heavies \$ 3.90 @ 4.05
Mediums 3.40 @ 3.80
Light Lights and Pigs 2.80 @ 3.80
Roughs 2.75 @ 3.40

DAYTON LIVESTOCK
HOGS
Receipts, 3 cars; mkt., 15c lower
Mediums, 160-200 lbs., \$ 4.20 @
Mediums, 260-280 lbs., 4.25 @ 4.35
Heavies, 280-300 lbs., 4.10
Lights, 120-150 lbs., 4.15
Pigs, 120 lbs. down, 4.15 down
Stags 3.

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620 to 625	3 lines	\$ 12.50	\$ 12.80	\$ 31.00
625 to 630	3 lines	\$ 12.60	\$ 12.90	\$ 31.25
630 to 635	3 lines	\$ 12.70	\$ 13.00	\$ 31.50
635 to 640	3 lines	\$ 12.80	\$ 13.10	\$ 31.75
640 to 645	3 lines	\$ 12.90	\$ 13.20	\$ 32.00
645 to 650	3 lines	\$ 13.00	\$ 13.30	\$ 32.25
650 to 655	3 lines	\$ 13.10	\$ 13.40	\$ 32.50
655 to 660	3 lines	\$ 13.20	\$ 13.50	\$ 32.75
660 to 665	3 lines	\$ 13.30	\$ 13.60	\$ 33.00
665 to 670	3 lines	\$ 13.40	\$ 13.70	\$ 33.25
670 to 675	3 lines	\$ 13.50	\$ 13.80	\$ 33.50
675 to 680	3 lines	\$ 13.60	\$ 13.90	\$ 33.75
680 to 685	3 lines	\$ 13.70	\$ 14.00	\$ 34.00
685 to 690	3 lines	\$ 13.80	\$ 14.10	\$ 34.25
690 to 695	3 lines	\$ 13.90	\$ 14.20	\$ 34.50
695 to 700	3 lines	\$ 14.00	\$ 14.30	\$ 34.75
700 to 705	3 lines	\$ 14.10	\$ 14.40	\$ 35.00
705 to 710	3 lines	\$ 14.20	\$ 14.50	\$ 35.25
710 to 715	3 lines	\$ 14.30	\$ 14.60	\$ 35.50
715 to 720	3 lines	\$ 14.40	\$ 14.70	\$ 35.75
720 to 725	3 lines	\$ 14.50	\$ 14.80	\$ 36.00
725 to 730	3 lines	\$ 14.60	\$ 14.90	\$ 36.25
730 to 735	3 lines	\$ 14.70	\$ 15.00	\$ 36.50
735 to 740	3 lines	\$ 14.80	\$ 15.10	\$ 36.75
740 to 745	3 lines	\$ 14.90	\$ 15.20	\$ 37.00
745 to 750	3 lines	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.30	\$ 37.25
750 to 755	3 lines	\$ 15.10	\$ 15.40	\$ 37.50
755 to 760	3 lines	\$ 15.20	\$ 15.50	\$ 37.75
760 to 765	3 lines	\$ 15.30	\$ 15.60	\$ 38.00
765 to 770	3 lines	\$ 15.40	\$ 15.70	\$ 38.25
770 to 775	3 lines	\$ 15.50	\$ 15.80	\$ 38.50
775 to 780	3 lines	\$ 15.60	\$ 15.90	\$ 38.75
780 to 785	3 lines	\$ 15.70	\$ 16.00	\$ 39.00
785 to 790	3 lines	\$ 15.80	\$ 16.10	\$ 39.25
790 to 795	3 lines	\$ 15.90	\$ 16.20	\$ 39.50
795 to 800	3 lines	\$ 16.00	\$ 16.30	\$ 39.75
800 to 805	3 lines	\$ 16.10	\$ 16.40	\$ 40.00
805 to 810	3 lines	\$ 16.20	\$ 16.50	\$ 40.25
810 to 815	3 lines	\$ 16.30	\$ 16.60	\$ 40.50
815 to 820	3 lines	\$ 16.40	\$ 16.70	\$ 40.75
820 to 825	3 lines	\$ 16.50	\$ 16.80	\$ 41.00
825 to 830	3 lines	\$ 16.60	\$ 16.90	\$ 41.25
830 to 835	3 lines	\$ 16.70	\$ 17.00	\$ 41.50
835 to 840	3 lines	\$ 16.80	\$ 17.10	\$ 41.75
840 to 845	3 lines	\$ 16.90	\$ 17.20	\$ 42.00
845 to 850	3 lines	\$ 17.00	\$ 17.30	\$ 42.25
850 to 855	3 lines	\$ 17.10	\$ 17.40	\$ 42.50
855 to 860	3 lines	\$ 17.20	\$ 17.50	\$ 42.75
860 to 865	3 lines	\$ 17.30	\$ 17.60	\$ 43.00
865 to 870	3 lines	\$ 17.40	\$ 17.70	\$ 43.25
870 to 875	3 lines	\$ 17.50	\$ 17.80	\$ 43.50
875 to 880	3 lines	\$ 17.60	\$ 17.90	\$ 43.75
880 to 885	3 lines	\$ 17.70	\$ 18.00	\$ 44.00
885 to 890	3 lines	\$ 17.80	\$ 18.10	\$ 44.25
890 to 895	3 lines	\$ 17.90	\$ 18.20	\$ 44.50
895 to 900	3 lines	\$ 18.00	\$ 18.30	\$ 44.75
900 to 905	3 lines	\$ 18.10	\$ 18.40	\$ 45.00
905 to 910	3 lines	\$ 18.20	\$ 18.50	\$ 45.25
910 to 915	3 lines	\$ 18.30	\$ 18.60	\$ 45.50
915 to 920	3 lines	\$ 18.40	\$ 18.70	\$ 45.75
920 to 925	3 lines	\$ 18.50	\$ 18.80	\$ 46.00
925 to 930	3 lines	\$ 18.60	\$ 18.90	\$ 46.25
930 to 935	3 lines	\$ 18.70	\$ 19.00	\$ 46.50
935 to 940	3 lines	\$ 18.80	\$ 19.10	\$ 46.75
940 to 945	3 lines	\$ 18.90	\$ 19.20	

Depression Hits Stars; Means Fewer Motor Cars

What ho! Important readjustments designed to effect economies in the production of motion pictures are reported under way in Hollywood.

The stars are scurrying under rocks for shelter from the storm of unclaimed options and cancelled contracts expected to hit the movie colony. There are signs that the depression has hit Celluloidia. There is evidence of returning sanity.

All of which may be traced either to the shrinking picture income, the increase in competition or the entrance of New York bankers into

studio hadn't even missed him.

Welford Beaton, film critic, describes as folly the policy of studios now in refitting instead of improving their product. He emphasizes the folly of getting money from Wrigley, the chewing gum magnate who knows nothing of pictures, and from Hertz the taxicab magnate who knows nothing of pictures and from Wall St., which knows nothing of pictures, in order to put the picture industry back on its feet. Chase National Bank is now supporting Fox and Radio has borrowed its second five millions in the last year. Now these encouraging rumors from Hollywood may mean that pictures may again be made for pictures' sake.

An indication of this is found in the assertion that the unknown's chances in Hollywood have dropped materially recently. Now you almost have to have an acquaintance with the speaking stage and a good speaking voice to get any kind of job before the camera, no matter how many dimples there are in your knees.



Little Bobbie "Wheezer" Hutchins Turns fashion-plate in California's bright sun.

the movie scene. Soon the tales of extravagant salaries, generous expenditures for scenes that rival Roman splendor and foolish disregard for expense, may be part of a Hollywood legend.

Of course there are pictures that were popular simply as a display of lavishness. But a great many aims with nominal production costs have been placed high on the scale because of the high salaries of principals.

A \$1,000 a week star, moving languidly through a mediocre film for several weeks can, with the aid of the salaries of other players, or extras, property costs, film costs and salaries of script writers, cutters, directors and assistants and the myriad of minor executives run up the production costs to an immense sum. The public, of course, pays and pays at the box office for the studio pushes the cost onto the exhibitor and he has to get his from the customers.

There are children hardly able to talk, receiving more money in pictures than the President of the United States. There are writers employed at huge sums who live out the entire length of their contracts at leisure, never touching thumb to typewriter, as it were.

Frank Condon tells of the European expert who was hired by a studio at a salary of \$3,000 a month to come to Hollywood and tell the local boys what is the matter with pictures. He arrived full of enthusiasm and took his place in a handsomely fitted office, with gold letters on the door. Then he waited in vain for action.

Finally, his enthusiasm blunted and discouraged because he was not given work, he returned to Europe. There he told a friend that he had run out on his contract and the friend advised him that this was poor ethics. In spite of the cold treatment he had received from his employers. So he returned to Hollywood. Imagine his amazement to find his mail box stuffed with envelopes containing his monthly salary checks. The

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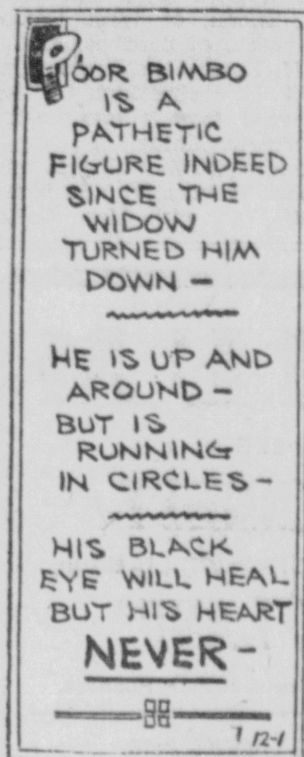


Alas a man gets so little chance to exercise his imagination these days that it has become almost as useless as the appendix.

BIG SISTER—Good News



THE GUMPS—See If I Care



ETTA KETT—Sweet Bribery!



MUGGS MCGINNIS—The Hypocrite!



HIGH PRESSURE PETE—Who's the Fish, Now?



"CAP" STUBBS—Time's Getting Short, Too!!



By LESLIE FORGRAVE

By SIDNEY SMITH

By PAUL ROBINSON

By WALLY BISHOP

By SWAN

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OHIO STATE ALUMNI PLAN TO CELEBRATE AT DINNER MEETING

Coinciding with the nation-wide observance of "Ohio State Day" Friday, December 4, the Ohio State University Association of Greene County, embracing about 200 graduates and former students of the university residing in this locality, will hold its annual dinner-meeting at the Iron Lantern in Xenia Friday night.

Following dinner served at 7 o'clock, an informal program has been arranged. There will be no speaking program, but new officers will be elected and a social hour enjoyed.

Present officers are I. M. Hyman, president; Mrs. J. R. Kimber, vice-president, and William Gandy, secretary.

All alumni and former students of the university are invited to attend the yearly "get-together" of the Greene County organization. It is explained that it is not necessary to be a graduate of the school to be eligible to attend the meeting. All persons who have attended Ohio State in past years may attend.

Declaring the local organization does not require the payment of dues, President Hyman also urges those planning to attend the affair to communicate with him not later than Thursday in order that an estimate may be made of the probable number intending to be present.

Although "Ohio State Day" will be celebrated everywhere Friday, the usual coast-to-coast radio broadcast program in connection with the event will be on the air Wednesday night, December 2, from 11:30 p. m. to 12:30 a. m. The program may be heard locally over stations WEAO at Columbus, WTAM at Cleveland and WLW at Cincinnati.

Broadcast over a nation-wide hook-up, the radio entertainment will include an address by President George W. Rightmire, of the university; talk by Wesley E. Fessler, Ohio State's former All-American football star and all-around athlete; music by the Ohio State Glee Club, All-American Ohio State Band and a popular Ohio State dance band.

PENNY SCALE SHOWS EIGHT POUNDS HAVE BEEN DONATED NOW

More than eight pounds of pennies already have been deposited in the scale in front of the Xenia National Bank to be used in the interests of the children of the Greene County Home for this Christmas. The scale was erected by members of Vulture 140, Forty and Eight organization of the American Legion.

Children at the home this year will really "know there is a Santa Claus" as do others of the more fortunate in Greene County, because of the interest taken by the veterans.

The scale will remain in position until sixty-five pounds of pennies have been collected. With this amount of money the veterans organization will arrange a Christmas party with presents for the children at the home.

"If you haven't put some pennies in the scale yet make it a habit during next few days," say members of the organization, "and then you'll have something to add to that happy glow after Santa Claus's visit Christmas morning."

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FRIENDS SENTENCED TO TERMS IN FEDERAL PENITENTIARIES

Sequel to a liquor and gambling raid at their attractive stone bungalow on the Dayton-Xenia Pike near the Montgomery County line last June 10, John Friend was sentenced to serve two years and six months in the Atlanta, Ga. federal penitentiary, and his wife, Mary A. Friend, received a sentence of a year and a day in the women's federal reformatory at Alderson, W. Va., when they appeared in United States district court at Dayton Monday.

Sentences were pronounced by Federal Judge Robert R. Nevin, after Mr. and Mrs. Friend had reiterated pleas of guilty to operating a nuisance, conspiracy to violate the prohibition act and doing business as retail liquor dealers at their Dayton Pike residence just inside of Greene County. The charge against Friend was regarded as his third federal offense. His last conviction had resulted in a \$2,000 fine and one-year sentence in the Atlanta penitentiary. In sentencing the pair to long

prison terms, Judge Nevin ignored a plea of defense counsel that Friends, despite their admitted liquor law violations, are respectable citizens and entitled to leniency.

From the bench Judge Nevin revealed that he had been approached by prominent citizens in a "highly improper manner," seeking to influence him in behalf of Friend and his wife. He added, however, that he was convinced the persons who interviewed him did so voluntarily and acted with out the knowledge or consent of attorneys representing the accused couple.

Plea of Attorney Walter Connors, of defense counsel, that Mrs. Friend be permitted a suspended sentence so that she might continue to raise her four children, ranging downward from 15 years of age, was refused by the court. Judge Nevin made one concession, however, in ordering a stay of execution of her sentence until January 9 in order that she may

spend the Christmas holiday season with her children, John Friend, who must begin serving his prison term immediately, will be removed to Atlanta in a few days by a deputy U. S. marshal.

After hearing herself sentenced to the reformatory for a year, Mrs. Friend collapsed and had to be assisted from the court room. Tears in her eyes, she had been unable to rise to her feet to hear sentence pronounced. Her bond, during the stay of execution, will remain at \$1,500. She had, previously posted bail.

The court heard from defense counsel that Mary Friend, raised in an orphanage, had nevertheless proved herself a good citizen except for the fact she had aided in the sale of liquor. She had previously served three months in the Preble County jail on a liquor conviction.

An effort was made by Mary's husband to assume the entire blame in the case, according to defense attorneys. The only offense charged against the Friends, Attorney Connors said, was that of selling liquor in their home, which was raided by nine Greene County, state and federal officers June 10 and elaborate gambling equipment seized.

Said to have been an employee at the Friend home, Albert Wilkie, included in the conspiracy indictment returned against the Friends, was sentenced to three months in the Miami County jail.

WEEKLY EVENTS

TUESDAY:
Unity Center.
Kiwanis.
Rotary.
Aldora Chapter.
Lodge No. 52, I. O. O. F.
WEDNESDAY:
Church Prayer Meetings.
Moore.
K. of P. Ivanhoe No. 55.

THURSDAY:
Pride of X, D. of A.
Red Men.
Jr. Order.

FRIDAY:
Eagles.
MONDAY:
K. K. K.
S. P. O.
B. P. O. E.
Peachontas.
K. of C.

Cedarville News

Mrs. Ethel Fields Creswell, Cedarville and Mr. John Irwin of Jamestown, were united in marriage Friday, November 25, at the parsonage of the Memorial Presbyterian Church Dayton, by the bride's former pastor, Dr. W. R. Harriman. They will make their home in Jamestown, O.

Miss Donna Burns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burns of this place and a former graduate of Cedarville College, wins national honor. Under the direction of Miss Burns, during the last five years, "The Mirror", annual publication of the senior class of the Montpelier High School, where Miss Burns teaches, has gained renown in national contests conducted by the National Scholastic Press Association of the University of Minnesota. A record of second place in 1927 and three consecutive first places in 1928, 1929 and 1930 for the publication was climaxed this year when "The Mirror" was accorded a rating of superior all-American. Close to 500 students enrolled were entered in the contest.

The Creswell family dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Creswell Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. J. P. Barr of Dayton, who has been spending several days here with relatives, returned home last week.

Dr. Marlow Stormont of Cleveland is spending a two week's vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stormont. Dr. Stormont is serving his internship at Lakeside Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Richards and sons, Robert and John, Mrs. B. H. Little and son Kenneth, Mrs. Edith Blair and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Creswell of this place, Dr. Wilcox of New Paris, O., and Dr. Marion Stormont of Cleveland, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Della Johnson and daughters, Lucile and Eleanor at West Carrollton, O.

The Kyle family Thanksgiving dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kyle this year. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kyle and baby daughter, Elleen, of West Union, O., were guests of their parents.

Dr. J. H. Harris and brother-in-law, Mr. A. S. McCullough Clifton, have returned from a two week's hunting trip in Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Galloway and family spent Thanksgiving in Huntington, W. Va., with Mrs. Galloway's parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. A. Sumers. Mrs. Galloway and two younger daughters remained over for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stormont celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Friday evening, when they entertained about forty of their relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley E. Nixon of Dayton, O., were calling on friends here Sunday.

The annual Thanksgiving dinner of the Tarbox family was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Watt, Mrs. R. C. Watt, Mrs. Jennie Rader and

Mrs. Agnes Nash, were guests Rev. W. A. Condon and family Thanksgiving Day at Ada, O.

Prof. O. W. Kuehrman and wife had for their week end guests and Mrs. O. A. Kuehrman, Mr. J. Harold Kuehrman and Mrs. J. Rose Brown of Indianapolis, Ind.

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